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# Dragged dog leads to cruelty charges

ALLAN BENNER  
Postmedia Network

A dog is recovering in the care of its owner after it was dragged by a car in Welland last week, leading to animal cruelty charges being laid against two people.

Niagara Regional Police say the dog was dragged for about 800 metres along Southworth Street until the car collided with another vehicle at the intersection of Sutherland Avenue, just before 4 p.m. Thursday.

Police said the dog suffered traumatic injuries as a result of the ordeal.

"Remarkably, given the ordeal the dog endured, it is expected to recover," police said in a media release issued Sunday.

Two Fort Erie residents, Cassandra McKay, 42, and Gory DeWilde, 47, have each been charged with causing unnecessary suffering to a dog, and causing injury by wilful neglect to a dog.

Police said the dog's leash had been attached to the passenger side door of a black Hyundai Accent while the vehicle was parked at the Beer Store on Lincoln Street. Police said the vehicle left the parking lot heading east on Lincoln Street, before turning south on Southworth, "as the dog made a valiant, but eventually unsuccessful effort to run along behind the car."

The incident was witnessed by several people who police said tried unsuccessfully to signal the Hyundai driver about the dog, which was dragged from the Beer Store until the leash broke seconds before the Hyundai collided



SUPPLIED PHOTO

This dog is recovering at her owner's home after being dragged by a car last week.

with the other vehicle.

DeWilde denied the allegations in an interview Monday.

He said the window of the car was open as they drove away from the Beer Store, and the dog jumped out.

"She was in the backseat so it's not like I was expecting her to jump up behind me and out the window. But she's a small dog," he said, referring to the dog which he said is a Jack Russell cross.

He said the leash became caught within the car, and the dog was dragged as a result. "People are making it into a big thing, like we deliberately put the dog on the thing and just started dragging it and not paying attention," he said. "It wasn't like that, but people are going to think what they want."

He said McKay, whom he

described as a close friend, was looking in the rearview mirror trying to find a place to safely pull over when they collided with a truck that had stopped in front of them.

DeWilde said he jumped out of the car's passenger seat "the moment my car got crashed," and ran after the dog.

Although DeWilde was charged as a result of the collision, he claims it was McKay who was driving at the time.

"Everyone tried to pick her up, but she wouldn't go to them. As soon as I went to her, she jumped right up in my arms and I ran her up to Cassandra and I said, 'Here, get her to the vet.'"

DeWilde said he remained with his crashed car waiting for police as McKay brought the dog to the nearby Rose City Animal Hospital.



SUPPLIED PHOTO

This dog is recovering at her owner's home after being dragged by a car last week.

"It happened so quick, too."

Veterinarian Dr. Donna Campbell said staff at the veterinary clinic made the treatment of the dog a priority when she was brought in.

"I can confirm that the dog is doing well," she said, adding the dog had been returned to her home to recuperate.

Campbell said she couldn't provide additional details about the treatment provided to the dog due to privacy legislation.

"Everybody concerned is making sure the dog is get-

ting the best care available," she said.

"The dog isn't really in danger at this point and it's being carefully monitored by both the humane society and the police."

Welland and District Humane Society manager John Greer said charges in the case were laid by Niagara Regional Police rather than SPCA officers.

"From our end, we're following up to make sure the veterinarian instructions are being complied with, and we're monitoring the situation to make sure the dog is

making a recovery," he said. Asked if the humane society is concerned about the care of the dog, Greer said "at this point, no."

"But it's ongoing, so we're going to monitor it very closely and just make sure the dog receives all the care. Under our act, as long as the dog is under veterinary care and it receives that treatment, we would have no grounds for actually taking the animal."

The two accused are due in court March 29 to face the allegations.

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## Jaws of life required



KRIS GUNDE/SPECIAL TO THE TIMES

A woman was transported to hospital with minor injuries after her SUV ended up on its side in a collision at King Street and Garrison Road in Fort Erie on Sunday afternoon. The fire department used the jaws of life to extricate her from the driver's seat of the vehicle. The occupant of the other car was uninjured.

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# Friendship Festival gets \$10,000 for 150th celebrations

**KRIS DUBE**  
Special to the Times

A successful grant application for the Friendship Festival is exciting, says the event's manager for the last 29 years, Flo Odding.

Last week, the festival received notification that it would be receiving \$10,000 from the province for Canada 150-related commemorations. The funds will be used to support heritage celebrations, focusing on events organized by the Fort Erie Native Friendship Centre and the Fort Erie Multicultural Centre.

Once a signature Canadian destination that brought major recording artists like the Tragically Hip, the Tea Party and other popular bands to town, a drastic decline in funding for entertainment has scaled that down over the years.

Throughout the 90s, the festival had an average budget of \$60,000 to pay for its headlining act, funded by the Ontario Lottery and Gaming Corporation. Last year, a total of \$15,000 was spent on a handful of tribute bands.

More than 20 years ago, annual bingo revenues generated close to \$1 million but since a smoking ban

in gaming venues in the early 2000s, Odding says the amount has shrivelled to about \$60,000.

"We can't get the bands we used to get - we'll never get them again," Odding said.

When a well-known recording artist is brought in, the extra costs don't end simply when the band plays in their amplifiers and starts playing their catalogue of hits. There are additional expenses for a larger stage, on-site hospitality trailers, a greater police presence, insurance, and much more, she said.

Odding estimates the cost of a



POSTMEDIA FILE PHOTO

Fans at the 2010 Friendship Festival get ready to rock with Hedley, one of the last years a major-label artist performed at the event.

major-label artist would be \$110,000 in today's economy.

"It's almost double the cost of the band when you factor in all the stuff that goes with it," she said.

The Friendship Festival's budget for 2017 is about \$150,000 for the entire three days, which are scheduled as July 13 to 16.

Historically held on Canada Day weekend, last year was the first time the dates had changed and it was held on the third weekend in July.

Odding said the second weekend of the month is the plan for the next three years as a new contract has been inked with Robertson Amusements.

Now, the festival primarily recruits its performers from the local talent pool around Niagara. Odding says this has proven to be an effective strategy, drawing a healthy crowd that consists mostly of people from the region.

People get excited about tribute bands because they know what to expect because they are familiar with the songs.

"If nobody knows the name -

they're not going to come," said Odding.

What about bringing back paid concerts with fans buying tickets? Not feasible, says the festival manager.

"Whenever we've tried that, it ends up costing us money," she said.

There are a few other grants Odding says the festival is depending on, including one from the Niagara Region for \$7,500 that will also go toward the planned multicultural celebrations.

The Town of Fort Erie doesn't contribute financially to the annual festival but does provide several in-kind donations.

Picnic tables, barricades, garbage cans and other pieces of equipment are lent to the three-day event.

The Friendship Festival website was also created by municipal staff.

"They're great if I need something," she said.

Odding says anyone interested in getting involved in this year's festival can give her a call at 905-871-6454 or contact her through [www.friendship-festival.com](http://www.friendship-festival.com).

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# Multicultural Centre opens new chapter

**KRIS DUBE**

Special to the Times

After 25 years of helping newcomers to Canada, the Fort Erie Multicultural Centre is looking forward to its next chapter in life.

Not only did the local non-profit celebrate a milestone anniversary last week, it was also announced the group is moving to a smaller unit at 62 Jarvis St. and that executive director Martha Mason's office is moving to 80 Queen St., at the Peace Bridge Newcomer Centre, co-located within the immigration building at the border.

Executive director Martha Mason and her team, along with the organization's board of directors, says the FEMC has "decided to move forward in a time of giving honour to the past and looking forward to the future."

An evening to celebrate the next steps being taken by the agency was held at the Fort Erie Public Library's centennial branch last week.

The new location will help streamline the many services provided, said the organization in a press release.

Since its establishment, the FEMC has greeted 125,000 refugees to Canada, helping them find a home,

the right church in the community, employment, a family physician - getting them set up for the future.

Language training is one of the centre's key programs, in association with the Niagara Catholic District School Board's learning centre, also on Jarvis Street.

According to Mason, 10 per cent of the refugees they welcome end up staying in Fort Erie.

In 2016, there were 2,500 refugee claimants accepted at the Peace Bridge.

The centre at the border opened in 2001 and since then has helped 45,000 people.

"It's about bringing them toward independence," said program director Rosemary Legge.

Mason says the FEMC is responsible for supporting about 100 families from Latin countries who continue to call Fort Erie home and have for many years.

Many of the people who come through the centre's programming are from African nations, Afghanistan, Eritrea, Haiti, and several more. Mayor Wayne Redekop says the FEMC has been at the leading edge of welcoming, settling and meeting the needs of newcomers to Canada.

"Their work also helps us

recognize the significance of diversity in enriching and building our society and, most especially, our own community," he said.

The FEMC is funded through several community partners.

In Fort Erie, freedom seekers have been assisted during many periods of history - from the earliest settlers greeted by First Nations Peoples, to Loyalists and slavery abolitionists in Upper Canada to the Underground Railroad.

This assistance refocused when a small prayer group who had been involved in social justice issues began reception and settlement of refugees in 1985.

The group had discovered that refugees were being turned back from the Canadian border at the Peace Bridge.

Over time, more people from the community got involved and a visitation committee was established. Volunteers visited with newcomer families on a regular basis.

This also resulted in the formation of Casa El Norte Refugee Shelter on Central Avenue and the Refugee Assistance Organization, followed by Fort Erie Heritage Council in 1992, later renamed Fort Erie Multicultural Centre.



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Fort Erie Mayor Wayne Redekop celebrates the Fort Erie Multicultural Centre's 25-year anniversary last week with some of his friends at the Fort Erie Public Library's Centennial branch.

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## Point of View

# Canada must eventually take a stand on Trump

**I**t seemed for a while that Canada might find a way to deal rationally and pragmatically with an irrational and impractical America.

We would strike a balance between our interests (trade, investment, jobs) and our values (tolerance, liberalism, diversity). We would. Well, it's been 10 days, and we can say we tried.

But when Donald Trump imposed his ban on citizens of seven Muslim-majority countries from entering the United States, we saw the new reality. It promises a season of popular and official protest in Canada, the worst crisis in Canadian-American relations since the Vietnam War.

Since Trump's election, Ottawa has tried prudently to adjust to the upheaval here. The Liberals have sought advice from Canadians who know Trump, including Brian Mulroney and Conrad Black. The back-channel diplomacy has even considered an appeal to Ivanka Trump who, some hope, may be more progressive than her father.

When Trump's emissary assured the cabinet in Calgary recently that Canada is not a target, we felt better.

But with every tumultuous day since the inauguration, it is clear the Captain of Chaos means business. Putting "America first" represents an epochal reversal in U.S. foreign policy: nativist, protectionist and isolationist, prepared to discard old alliances, old allies and old values.

The radicals and fascists are now running the show. If their executive orders are slapdash and illegal, they invite the courts to restrict them. If they remember the Holocaust without mentioning the Jews, they brazenly defend that omission.

Trump's threat to Canada is not only tearing up trade agreements or imposing "buy American" bills and a border tax. This we can manage with the artful diplomacy and resourcefulness we have practised with our elephantine neighbour for 150 years.

Where things will fall apart is on issues challenging the principles of Canada's

liberal internationalism. The first of these is Trump's promise to deny funding to organizations that counsel family planning and his threat to deny financing to agencies of the United Nations.

It will get worse. Trump will try to withdraw from the Paris Agreement on climate change. If he cannot, he will spend four years undermining it. Expect the same on the anti-nuclear agreement with Iran.

He will outrage Canadians, a moderate, progressive people who are ready to join the global opposition. He will champion a dark, unorthodox view of the world on migration, refugees, security, human rights and Russian expansionism. It will force us to take a stand.

He will alienate friends, including Angela Merkel of Germany, a pivotal relationship he is already wrecking.

As we struggle to maintain continental trade, attract investment and safeguard our industries, we will come under enormous pressure to break with the U.S. on multilateral issues. We will have to choose between commerce and conscience.

We have been here before — with Richard Nixon over Vietnam, Ronald Reagan over acid rain and cruise missiles, George W. Bush on the invasion of Iraq. The relationship has always endured. Americans have always accepted Canada's right to dissent. Now, who knows?

To Canadians, Trump will be the most reviled American president in memory. If he dares visit Canada, he will draw tens of thousands into the streets. Within Parliament and his party, Trudeau will face calls to distance himself from the United States in world forums. Our prosperity will compete with our morality. It won't be easy or pretty.

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## Do you Remember?



Thank you to Maria McKinnon who informed us that the hockey player in last week's picture is her little brother Pat 'Westbail' Giampacko. Maria often had to bring Pat along to her extracurricular activities so, after attending several practices and games, he became the mascot to the first Fort Erie Secondary School girls hockey team. According to his sister, Pat was, and still is, known for hanging out with the older, cool kids. This week's paper is of three young ladies with the Fort Erie Figure Skating Club taken around 1980. If you know who any of these skaters are please contact the Museum at 905-894-5322 or send us an e-mail - [museum@forterietimes.ca](mailto:museum@forterietimes.ca)

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# Anti-Valentine party for teens at Centennial branch

Two of the greatest gifts we are given as human beings are the gift of young people and the gift of music, which both enrich our lives in countless ways.

This coming Wednesday at the Centennial Branch of the Fort Erie Public Library, these wonderful resources will come together to bring library patrons an evening to enjoy. Five area music teachers have been invited to send guitar, piano and vocal students to perform. The Fort Erie School of Music, Kangaroo



Fort Erie Library

Kampus and others have helped young people prepare works by a variety of composers, ranging from Beethoven to Simon and Garfunkel. Admission is free but advance tickets are recommended to ensure seating, as this program

will be popular. Please call 905-971-2546, ext. 305 to have tickets set aside. Light refreshments will be available after the concert.

Teens in Grades 7 to 12: if the thought of celebrating a lovey-dovey made-up holiday makes you cringe, the library's Anti-Valentine's party is for you. On Monday, Feb. 13 at 6 p.m. at the Centennial branch, we'll make anti-Valentine's day cards, play games, eat, and use the photobooth.

The next Stuffle Sleepover at the Stevensville branch will be held on Wednesday,

Feb. 15 at 6 p.m. This evening story time and craft session is fun for everyone — children can come in their pajamas and bring along their favourite stuffed animal. When the kids go home, the stuffies get up to all sorts of mischief; and when they pick up their stuffed buddies, they also get a record of the overnight antics.

Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m., the Centennial branch hosts a "No Excuse Moms Workout." These child-friendly workouts are designed so you can come

alone or bring your kids along.

Inside Out is the family matinee this Saturday at the Centennial branch. Playing at 2:30 p.m., this movie shows the characters Joy, Fear, Anger, Disgust and Sadness helping young Riley adjust to a new town and school, each in their own way.

Loving, our film on Thursday, Feb. 16 at 6:30 p.m. at the Centennial branch, is the true story of Richard and Mildred Loving, an interracial couple whose challenge

of their 1958 anti-miscegenation arrest in Virginia for their 1958 marriage in Washington, D. C. led to a legal battle that would end at the U.S. Supreme Court in 1967. Ruth Negga and Joel Edgerton star as the Lovings.

Fun and learning opportunities for all ages are always available at the library. Visit [www.fepi.ca](http://www.fepi.ca), our Facebook page, Twitter account or Instagram to keep up or learn more.

Amy Roebuck is the community services coordinator at the Fort Erie Public Library.

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# Photos of recent trip to Vimy a reminder of Canada's role

This past December my son-in-law, Dr. Neil Cudney, was on an institutional business trip to France.

Neil had a break and travelled to historic Vimy, taking countless views of this First World War monument. He gave me a neat brochure with lots of details in it. On April 9, 1917 Canadian forces stormed Vimy Ridge and Hill 145. It was a "blood-bath" those 100 years ago. Canadian army corps had all their forces together at this time. Their goal was to capture Hill 145 at Vimy Ridge. British and Canadian



When History Recalls

artillery batteries played a big role. They systematically laid down a barrage in front of the Canadian troops.

The Three Canadian armies advanced against the well-defended German lines. Advance they did, with 11,285 Canadian casualties and 3,594 deaths that day.

Neil panned with his camera the side of the Memorial. There were the names of our fallen inscribed in stone. Our brave Canadians took Hill 145 and gained control of Vimy Ridge. It was a major victory against the Germans.

Neil climbed the steps and gave us a view of the now peaceful countryside. You could still see the many trenches and up close the countless tunnels. It was Canadians who gained the victory, Canada! Fifty years after Confederation we were now a nation of our own. Remember Vimy?

Pierre Berton in his book

VIMY does. Worth reading. Our government started the project of a Vimy monument. It took 11 years and \$1.5 million to complete the memorial. Imagine the cost in this day.

On July 26, 1936 it was unveiled before 30,000 French and Canadian war veterans.

Neil shared clippings of the giant sculptures. They are still well preserved. Neil was moved greatly by what he saw that day. He will send me an article later about those emotions he experienced.

Writer's Note: Neil did not see my uncle's name on the monument. Why? He should have been there as

all Canadian army combatants were ordered to be at Vimy. Some 20 miles to the north and a few weeks earlier before all three Canadian armies were called to assemble at Vimy. There just before Vimy our uncle, Gunner Private Ernest Wellington Plato, and his machine gun platoon were blown to bits by a German shell. A week before Ernest had sent a postcard to his mother, writing, "Mother today I am a man."

Less than a week later 21-year-old Ernest was dead. Cousin Wayne Nelson and wife Carol of Fort Erie visited Vimy and then on nearby to Uncle Ernie's grave stone site marker at Maroc

British Cemetery. Thanks Nelsons. My uncle was born in Amnigard. Oldtimers, do you know where that was? So many Canadian families back then were affected. War is hell. We will Remember! Vimy helped, 100 years ago, to define our Canadian character.

Where were you the "Bizarro" of 77? I was trapped at Bertie Senior Elementary School in Ridgeway for three and a half days with 15 students and three of my staff members. Unforgettable. Erno Koss, author, captured the Bizarro's overwhelming effects in "White Death." Remember?

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## Rockin' the night away



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The Basement Rockers are a group of young adults with disabilities who love to rock. The group, founded through TASC Niagara, held its third annual concert at the Sanctuary in Ridgeway, a stage that has seen its fair share of Canadian rock stars. Leading up to last Friday's performance, the local supergroup spent several weeks with music therapists Mallory Warkentin, Laura Belet and Alejandro Del Pino.

## Health Corner

### Cavity Free For Life?

Part One:

One of our patients, Paul, came to our office for the first time a few years ago. Prior to this, his last visit to a dentist was for a tooth removed many years before. When I saw him for his initial examination, it was apparent to me that he had not received dental care for quite some time. Almost every tooth in his mouth had a cavity. Some required simple fillings while many others required root canals and caps.

A few days later, my hygienist saw a patient named Stephanie, who also had not been in a dental office for more than 5 years. Surprisingly, she had no cavities.

You might be asking yourself "Why was Stephanie lucky enough to have no cavities while Paul had so many?" Well, there are very logical reasons for this.

Let's talk about them.

I call them the Three Keys to tooth decay.

Key One - Bacteria.

No matter how many candies you eat or how clumsy you are with brushing or how often you forget to floss your teeth, you would not get a cavity if you did not have cavity-causing bacteria.

We have millions of bacteria in our mouth (yes, it's true!). Most of them are good bacteria. However,

certain types of cavity-causing bacteria can also live happily in our mouths. These bacteria eat sugars and produce acids that break down hard substances like our teeth.

So what can you do about this?

You can remove them temporarily or prevent them from growing



Dr. John Inigo

on your teeth by brushing and flossing, and by also seeing your dentist regularly. But once these bacteria are in your mouth, they basically stay there for life.

This means you at risk for having cavities for the rest of your life.

Studies show that these bacteria start to appear in our mouth when our first teeth come out typically 6-8 months old. They get transmitted by our parents or our siblings just like a cold.

So here is a tip.

When the first tooth comes out and if we somehow prevent transmission of these bad bacteria for at least two years, other good bacteria will grow first and can prevent cavity-causing bacteria from having enough space to grow to large numbers. So by not sharing spoons or other things for the first two or three years of infancy, we can drastically lower the number of these bad bacteria, and hence reduce the number of cavities our kids may get.

Let's get back to Stephanie who I mentioned earlier. She may be one of the lucky ones who may not have been exposed to these bad bacteria when she was really young, and that may be why she is more resistant to cavities.

However, if you were exposed at an early age, don't get discouraged. There are other things that you can do. This brings us to the next key of tooth decay, sugar, which we'll discuss next time. Please stay tuned.

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# Revisiting summer gardens tonic for winter days

Images of brilliant summer gardens brightened my computer screen all week-end: vibrant zinnias and day-lilies, romantic roses, cool green ferns, serene ponds and even an exuberant Italian vegetable garden.

I've been editing images taken on last summer's garden walk sponsored by Niagara Falls Horticultural Society — imagining myself in July gardens is the perfect tonic for an overcast winter weekend.

What strikes me immediately is the diversity of gardens. There are so many ways to express your creativity in the garden — rainbow-like flower beds, productive vegetable patches, secluded oasis of green, artist's studios — each garden reflects the owner's personal esthetic.

I have had the privilege of visiting hundreds of private gardens over the past 17 years. I am both amazed and humbled by the generosity of the garden owners who graciously share their private gardens and their passion for gardening with me.

What makes a great garden? Following your instinct is the key to enjoying your garden, grow what you love.

When I was growing up, just about everyone in my neighbourhood, including my dad, had a vegetable garden. It was a simple rectangle, with straight rows of corn, tomatoes, beans, peas and carrots, and I vividly remember munching on sweet pea shells and beans in the garden, by the time I was gardening, the custom of home vegetable



Green Thumb

gardens had fallen out of favour and most of my neighbours — timing my visit to the grocery store for produce.

Today, homeowners are again enjoying the luxury of homegrown lettuce, tomatoes, beans and garlic.

Not sure where to start? Start small and grow a few of the vegetables you enjoy eating, experiment with a few different varieties, tuck a few of your favourite herbs in as well, they are easy to grow.

The best news: vegetables no longer need a dedicated garden, if space is at a premium, include a few of your favourite veggies in a sunny flower border or in a container on the patio. That sunny strip along the garage wall could be the ideal spot for a few heirloom tomato plants; lettuce makes a great container plant and can take a little shade on the deck.

On last year's garden walk, one vegetable garden stood out: the backyard of Anna and Lou Beltrame on Stamford Green Drive, a true organic farm sized to fit a generous city lot. A substantial sunroom on the back of the house doubles as a greenhouse when it's time start seeds for the garden.

On the day of the garden walk, a group of visitors gathered around an unknown

flowering plant with coarse leaves and a cloud of small white flowers on tall stems. Anna was called up to ID the suspect, "Radish, for seed" Radish, along with most of the other vegetables and flowers, were grown from homegrown seed.

Along the back of the property, Lou led me through shoulder high rows of tomatoes. "They're slow this year," he lamented. My own tomato plants were barely knee high at this point. Fragrant basil skirted the rows, "Tomatoes taste better when they're grown with basil."

Anna introduced me to pots of geranium cuttings, being grown for next year, that lined the windowsills along the back of the house. Vibrant pink, red, salmon, and white geraniums populated the gardens and hung from the vine covered pergola above the patio. Crayola-coloured zinnia and daylily flowers lined the front drive, welcoming visitors to this charming garden.

Looking back at the images, I'm reminded of the generous spirit of homeowners who plant their gardens on a tour. Gardeners love to talk about plants, and the Beltrames generously shared their many years of experience growing vegetables and flowers from seed and cuttings with curious visitors that day. I suspect many people were encouraged to grow more vegetables and flowers from seed after meeting this inspiring couple.

Another creative garden, located on the corner of Lundy's Lane and Moulton Avenue, made the most of a tiny space. The homeowner has

transformed a paved back yard (formerly a parking lot) into a friendly oasis brimming with colour. Tall concrete cylinders, topped with boxwood create a substantial hedge defining the patio area. The containers raise the hedge to hip level, giving the space a sense of enclosure that a ground-level hedge would take many years to achieve. Container garden ornamental grasses surround a habitat garden for birds at the back of property, with its own bird bath and

feeders. Generous plantings of sun-loving perennials in hot colours cheer the front gardens, while shade tolerant hostas and astilbes cool a narrow side garden that connects the front and back gardens. Container grown hydrangeas created a live screen on a side porch on this busy corner. If you are looking for ideas to make the most of small space, you won't want to miss this garden.

After a weekend of editing, I've lined up my slides for this

year's presentation. — It's been a treat to look back on the colourful gardens, generous spirits and smiling faces of this sunny July tour.

Why not join us next Thursday evening, when I will be sharing the images of last year's garden walk with members of Niagara Falls Horticultural Society. We will be meeting at the LaMena Room of the Niagara Falls Library Victoria Avenue branch at 7:30 p.m. Visitors are always welcome; first meetings is free.

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# U.S. court clears way for nuclear waste shipments

**ALLAN BENNER**  
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A U.S. judge has cleared the way for shipments of radioactive waste that could pass through Niagara.

Local environmentalists haven't given up yet on stopping that plan.

Niagara-on-the-Lake resident Gracia Janes, environmental convener for the National Council of Women of Canada, said she remains hopeful that the efforts of U.S. political leaders may yet succeed in stopping the shipments of liquid nuclear waste from Canadian Nuclear Laboratories in Chalk River, Ont., a community near Algonquin Park, to a disposal site

in Savannah River, S.C., 1,700 kilometres south.

Seven U.S. environmental organizations launched a lawsuit against the Department of Energy (DOE) last summer regarding plans for as many as 150 shipments of the material over four years. The lawsuit asked the court to rule that the shipments require an additional environmental impact statement, saying the material has never previously been transported along public roads in a liquid form.

In total, about 23,000 litres of the material — a byproduct of the creation of medical radioisotopes, which includes cesium-137, strontium-90, and plutonium-239 — are to be shipped back to the U.S., as part

of a 2010 agreement to repatriate radioactive material, costing the Canadian government about US\$60 million.

But last Thursday, the U.S. court supported claims by the DOE in 2015 that the material poses no more danger in its liquid form than it would as a solid.

"This is serious. It's really very serious," said Janes.

Lincoln regional Coun. Bill Hodgson said he was disappointed about the U.S. court verdict in the case.

"I'm puzzled and disappointed," said Hodgson, who has led local efforts in opposition of the nuclear waste shipments.

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# Other countries have found alternatives for waste, says Janes

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Hodgson said he's also concerned about the potential impact on local emergency workers, if the worst-case scenario happens.

Even a close call could have "huge economic and social impacts on our community," he said.

"It's not going to take a catastrophic accident to have a major impact. We could have a scare and it could devastate our brand, for example as a place where safe food comes from," he said.

Despite the agreement to repatriate spent nuclear waste, Janes said other countries have found alternatives.

For instance, she said Indonesia instead uses a method of diluting its nuclear waste with the DOE's approval, making shipping the material unnecessary.

In a media release issued by the plaintiffs in the unsuccessful lawsuit, the director of Savannah River Site Watch, Tom Clements, said the same technique used in Indonesia could be used at Chalk River.

"Down-blending and solidifying the waste in Canada would be cheaper, faster and safer than moving this dangerous liquid cargo through dozens of communities,"

he said.

Despite the ruling, Janes said environmentalists remain hopeful that the plans may yet be stopped.

Janes is hoping a bill introduced by Arizona Congresswoman Martha McSally may succeed in requiring the Department of Homeland Security to conduct a risk assessment prior to the transport of nuclear materials.

If approved, the legislation — called the Chemical, Biological, Radiological and Nuclear (CBRN) Intelligence and Information Sharing Act of 2017 — would include the DOE's planned transport of highly enriched liquid nuclear uranium across the Peace Bridge.

New York Congressman Brian Higgins introduced a similar bill last year, Janes said that bill didn't make it to the final stage of consideration.

"This time around, he's persistent," she said. "I think that is probably the only hope."

But considering recent U.S. government decisions, particularly regarding environmental issues, she said "it's a little hard to hope that they will make changes."

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Canadian Nuclear Laboratories in Chalk River, Ont., near Algonquin Park.

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# Loneliness can be a scourge of aging

**M**y father used to get upset - even a little angry - when my mother suggested on several occasions that should she die first, she hoped he would remarry, the implication being that he wouldn't be able to look after himself and more importantly needed someone close at hand who loved him.

She died of progressive heart failure 10 years before he died of a stroke and mum got her wish. About two years he married again and it worked just the way my mum hoped and figured it



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Loneliness is one of the scourges of any age - but perhaps never more so than later in life, when lifetime partners and friends keep dying on a regular basis and funerals almost become regular social events where

survivors console one another and wonder when and who's next. Except for children and grandchildren our worlds keep shrinking and for many close family is literally scattered all over the map.

Nursing homes have become the default setting for many but however social people may have been earlier in life, making friends or even acquaintances in the 80s and 90s of life can be very difficult, if not impossible and death almost a welcome end to the rituals of scheduled meals,

planned 'activities' and routines without meaning. Even in the costliest facilities, is often a case of warehousing the elderly, and occasionally, elder abuse. There was no abuse in the case of my mother-in-law when she moved into a very nice chronic care facility in London, Ont. in her 80s. But when her husband Bob, the love of her life, died after she saw him through his several year siege of bowel cancer, she was exhausted and ready to check out. By had squirmed away a stash of morphine left over from Bob's many prescriptions and she had to be very diplomatically and kindly talked out of keeping it by the hospice nurse in one of several follow-up visits. Making matters worse for Ev was the fact that the closest family was more than 100 miles away - that would be my wife and I - the rest thousands of miles away and when she entered the nursing home she was isolated from the few remaining friends of a lifetime, who themselves faced formidable challenges. The circle was closing, and closing rapidly. Even living in idyllic settings, supported by family as in the case of a 90-year-old friend, can

be isolating without other sustaining friendships near by, as she reminded me to phone the other day.

But it isn't all doom and gloom in the last decades of life. In small communities such as Niagara-on-the-lake long-standing friends and family make the difference - by regularly checking in on those living alone, helping out when things go wrong and being there when it counts. Here community institutions such as churches and as I've observed in St. Catharines, mosques, can make a big difference. And some elderly manage to make rich, sustaining new friendships late in life, especially in the closed communities of nursing homes.

But there's no denying the challenges of maintaining social connections in later life, difficulties compounded by the loss of driver's licences, and physical and cognitive declines in surviving friends. The health risks of isolation and loneliness are very real and include increased risks of falls and fractures, heart attacks or in some cases, simply losing the will to live.

Humans are very social animals, so much so that Robin Dunbar, an evolu-

tionary psychologist from Oxford, claims that modern humans owe much of their brain's cognitive powers to the social demands of living in communities. And we're not alone in looking after the elderly - other species do so too, perhaps because of the recognized advantages of experience that older members in groups bring to settling fights among the young.

So, at least from the evolutionary point of view, we're not alone in treasuring the old. It's just that those older chimps and elephants stay in their group and herd respectively and we outsource them to isolating facilities - however nice their amenities, when most they need their familiar herd.

That sometimes strikes me as wrongheaded and a backward step when friends often live miles away and are unable to get there because they've lost their driver's licence, or are themselves experiencing increasing challenges getting about their own home, never mind getting to see their friend.

Dr. Bill Brown is a professor of neurology at McMaster University.

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# Niagara Parks Police chief retiring

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After almost four decades in law enforcement, Carl Scott is preparing to return to civilian life.

"It was my decision to retire but it wasn't an easy one," said the chief of Niagara Parks Police.

"People say they know when it's time to retire ... it was time."

Scott joined Niagara Parks Police in 1973, following a

36-year career with Niagara Regional Police.

As chief, he oversees 25 full-time and 27 seasonal officers and staff, who patrol more than 1,300 hectares of parkland and 56 kilometres of parkway.

"We provide a dedicated service to public safety for the over 12 million people who cross our paths each year and, what most people don't realize is, this is all undertaken by the (Niagara Parks) Commission and funded by the commission. There is no cost to the taxpayer."

The public's safety, the 58-year-old said, is enhanced by various partnerships the police service has with other agencies, including the NRP, OPP, RCMP, Canada Border Services Agency and New York State Parks Police.

"We have great working relationships with other agencies."

New York State Parks Police, for example, are "our eyes and ears from their side of the (Niagara) river and vice versa."

Scott's last day will be May 31. A successor has yet to be named.

Chief Scott's 40-year policing career is a testament to his commitment to the community and to the Niagara Parks Commission," said a commission chairman Janice Thomson.

"He will be missed."

Scott is a member of the Chippawa Lions Club, where he has served as president in the past, and is a strong supporter of the United Way.

"Chief Scott's community involvement has also been a hallmark of his professional and private life," Thomson said. "While his dedicated service to Niagara Parks will be missed, I am sure he will remain active in our communities, doing what he does best — serving the residents of Niagara."

Scott was 19 when he joined the NRP in 1977.

"I applied to be a cadet," the Cambridge native recalled. "I didn't know anyone in the Niagara region but I applied because my family used to vacation here. That's what drew me. I liked the area."

Over the course of three decades, the Niagara Falls resident held a succession of supervisory posts and ranks.

Prior to his retirement from the NRP, Scott was the acting deputy chief of operations and managed approximately 30 specialty support units.

Scott replaced Douglas Kane, who retired as parks police chief after three years. Kane was also a former NRP officer.

Established in 1887, Niagara Parks Police Service is one of the province's oldest police services.

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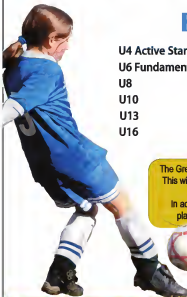
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### TENDER FOR HIGHLAND AVENUE RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT CONTRACT NO. 15E-17-HIGH14

The Town of Fort Erie is seeking tender submissions from the qualified bidders for the Highland Ave Reconstruction Project. This work includes reconstruction of the road from Crooks Street to Central Avenue (820 m), including replacement of the existing water mains (820 m), sanitary sewers (820 m) and services up to property line, and replacement of the existing storm sewers (820 m) along with replacement of the storm sewer (280 m) and asphalt overlay (280 m) from Central Avenue to Niagara Boulevard.

Sealed tenders addressed to Laura Bubanko, Manager, Legislative Services/Clerk, will be received by the Customer Service Unit (CSU) at 1 Municipal Centre Drive, Fort Erie, Ontario until:

**2:00 p.m. LOCAL TIME on: WEDNESDAY MARCH 1<sup>st</sup>, 2017**

All formal competitive bid opportunities are posted at [www.bidding.com/forterie](http://www.bidding.com/forterie) and effective Wednesday, February 8<sup>th</sup>, 2017, tender documents can either be purchased from the Town Hall, Infrastructure Services upon payment of twenty-eight dollars and twenty-five cents. (\$28.25) or viewed at the Niagara Construction Association Office located at 34 Scott Street, St. Catharines, Ontario.

The Corporation reserves the right to reject any or all tenders and the lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

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Sealed submissions addressed to Laura Bubanko, Manager, Legislative Services/Clerk, will be received by the Customer Service Unit (CSU) at 1 Municipal Centre Drive, Fort Erie ON until.

**2:00 P.M. local time on: THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23rd, 2017**

Please note that all Town of Fort Erie's formal competitive bid opportunities are posted on the Town's Bidding Landing Page at [www.bidding.com/forterie](http://www.bidding.com/forterie). The Corporation of the Town of Fort Erie reserves the right to reject any or all tenders and the lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

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Niagara Region has received the results of the forensic audit into the controversial Burgoyne Bridge replacement project. Construction on the bridge is to be completed in the spring.

## Burgoyne Bridge forensic audit report under wraps

Council began looking into  
how contract after costs  
ballooned by tens of  
millions of dollars

BILL SAWCHUK  
Postmedia Network

Regional councillors took a peek at the Burgoyne Bridge forensic audit Monday — but what it contains is still a closely guarded secret.

The vice-chair of Niagara Region's bridge audit task force, Grimsby Regional Coun. Tony Quirk cautioned councillors that what they were reading is only a preliminary report on the \$93-million project.

"I want to make clear this is not the final report from the auditor," Quirk said. "What you have is the preliminary report, and it will be the basis for the discussion we are going to have today."

Council began its inquiry into how the contract for the bridge was awarded after costs ballooned by tens of millions of dollars from the original estimate of \$45 million. The low bid on the contract was for \$69.91 million.

Council asked for the forensic audit May 19 after suspicions arose of possible "fiduciary impropriety" related to the project following an anonymous tip.

Monday, the committee passed a motion to move into closed session because the discussion of the forensic audit involved solicitor-client privilege and "potential litigation" as well as "identifiable individuals."

When the committee returned to open session, it quickly passed a motion authorizing staff to proceed as directed. The committee gave no further details.

"The goal is to get it to council on Thursday night, and at that point, it will also be a matter for closed discussion," Quirk said. "Any other information about this will be a decision of council."

Monday councillors were allowed to read the report in a committee room one hour before the meeting began. They had to sign for the document and weren't authorized to take it with them.

That didn't sit well with Niagara Falls Coun. Bob Gale.

"I've taken mine, and I did not sign the forms saying I will give it back right now," Gale said. "The public is outraged by what is going on here. We should have these reports to take home to read... I have a problem with the secrecy of these reports. I understand the confidentiality of it, but we as councillors have to make informed decisions, and we only had an hour to read it."

Welland Coun. George Marshall also wondered about the restrictions on the report.

"If I am expected to make a decision on something, I would like a copy of the document," Marshall said.

St. Catharines Coun. Andy Petrowski took it a step further. He wondered why the report isn't being shared with the public.

"When is the public going to see something?" he asked. "It cost \$450,000, and the taxpayers don't just write blank cheques. They expect to see the benefit of what they spent the money on, and who know with this region sometimes?"

Quirk said the forensic auditors from Deloitte would likely deliver the final version of the report to the committee in March. They would also take questions from councillors at that time.

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## Auditing firm completed value-for-money audit last year

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The auditing firm has already completed a value-for-money audit on the bridge project. That report was presented to council last year and included concerns of missing documentation, poor procurement processes and a lack of transparency.

The original Burgoyne Bridge was built in 1915. It opened after 11 months of construction at a cost of \$155,000 — which was \$18,000 under budget.

The replacement bridge, the largest the region owns and maintains, is on the same site and links downtown St. Catharines to west St. Catharines over Twelve Mile Creek and Highway 406. It runs almost 320 metres with an arch of about 110 metres and is supported by 12 steel towers. Construction began in September 2015.

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### REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL FOR ENGINEERING SERVICES

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#### CONTRACT # ISE-17P-BRIG17/BRIG18

The Corporation of the Town of Fort Erie requires a professional engineering consultant to provide engineering design and tendering services with regard to nineteen (19) bridge and culvert structures and one (1) retaining wall.

Sealed proposals clearly marked as to contents will be received by Randi Martins, Manager, Procurement, Finance and Risk, Municipal Centre, 1 Municipal Centre Drive, Fort Erie, Ontario, until 2:00 p.m. local time on:

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 2017**

**NOTE:** The Town of Fort Erie posts all formal competitive bid opportunities on the Town's Bidding Landing Page [www.biddingo.com/forterie](http://www.biddingo.com/forterie). Alternatively, proposal documents may also be obtained or viewed commencing, Monday February 6, 2016, in the Infrastructure Services – Engineering Department at Town Hall.

For further information, please contact Robert D. Judd, P.Eng., Town of Fort Erie Municipal Centre, [rjudd@forterie.ca](mailto:rjudd@forterie.ca) or (905) 871-1600 ext. 2412.

### Notice of PUBLIC OPEN HOUSE Crystal Ridge Park Master Plan Update

The Town of Fort Erie invites you to attend a Public Open House to provide input into the update of the 2010 Crystal Ridge Park Master Plan on:

**Thursday February 16, 2017  
6:00 – 8:00 p.m.**

**Crystal Ridge Library Meeting Room  
89 Ridge Road South, Ridgeway**

The Park Master Plan will examine usage of the park, identify the recreational needs and desires of the community, and establish a clear strategy for the revitalization of this Community Park. Funding has been allocated to commence park improvements in 2017.

You may also or alternatively provide feedback online, by visiting [www.placespeak.com/crystalridgepark](http://www.placespeak.com/crystalridgepark).

For more information visit [www.forterie.ca](http://www.forterie.ca) or contact Signe Hansen, Manager of Open Space Planning and Development at 905 871-1600 ext. 2506 or [shansen@forterie.ca](mailto:shansen@forterie.ca).



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# Border plan a 'disaster'

RAY SPITERI  
Postmedia Network

President Donald Trump's push to have all visitors entering and exiting the United States subjected to biometric screening — such as finger-printing, retina scans or facial recognition tests — would be a "disaster," says the general manager of the Peace Bridge Authority.

"It's clear that there hasn't been enough thought or process into what are the consequences of such an action," said Ron Rienas. "If it can be done where there is no adverse impact on traffic in any way, in terms of taking much longer and slowing things down, then that's one thing."

"But all the experts and all the evidence that we've seen point to this being a disaster because it would require a much longer primary inspection."

Trump's call for stepped-up technology to monitor whether non-Americans are staying in the country longer than permitted was part of a recent executive order he issued on immigration.

Although it has not received as much public attention as Trump's controversial ban on travellers from seven predominantly Muslim-majority countries, it has sparked concerns among border officials, as well as U.S. and Canadian politicians, that it would lead to massive slow-downs in border traffic, particularly at land crossings.

A U.S. federal judge blocked the immigration order Friday.

The order was upheld during an initial appeal by the Trump administration Sat-

urday.

As for Trump's increased border technology proposal, Canada's Public Safety Minister Ralph Goodale raised his concerns during a phone call this week with John Kelly, the new U.S. Homeland Security secretary.

Also, western New York Republican congressman Chris Collins, who was the first House member to endorse Trump for president, wrote a letter to Kelly indicating his concerns.

Rienas said the idea of biometric screening at the border is not a new one.

"This was proposed back in 2004. It was re-initiated in late 2014 by a committee in the House of Representatives in the U.S. Congress to implement this. But that was going through the legislative process and it never came to a vote because there was so much opposition to it from a host of border stakeholders," he said.

"And now we have it appear again in the form of an executive order."

"My initial reaction was here we go again."

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Rienas said he is glad to see Collins take the same position now as he did when he opposed the idea before.

"I think the difference is that in the earlier go-around it was being done through a legislative process, so there was an opportunity for discussion and debate and a more thorough vetting of the proposal."

Fort Erie Mayor Wayne Redekop said sometimes politicians in non-border communities "don't understand the dynamic" or "appreciate the significance of the flow of people and goods across the border."

"(Sometimes) they don't appreciate the nature of the relationships that exist between the people. They don't, I think, have a full understanding of the process, nor appreciate the skill and talent of the individuals that they've charged with ensuring the safety and protection of their own people."

Redekop said there are ways to protect people and still have an efficient and

effective border.

"To a great extent you have to rely on the great people that you put on the border. These are well-skilled people — they're trained, they've got lots of experience."

He said the vast majority of people who cross the border are "absolutely no problem" and that biometric screening is not the answer to deal with the vast minority who may need further questioning.

"I think it's fairly clear that the executive order that presented the ban on immigration and refugees and the information about the biometrics, a lot of that has to do with a lack of understanding and appreciation of the significance of things that government does. It's easy to sign a piece of paper, but often it's very difficult to implement and often it can be very detrimental to

exactly what you're trying to achieve."

Redekop said if the U.S. is truly interested in trade, it should have policies that will permit the free and effective flow of goods across the border, in both directions.

"They're going to be exporting goods here and we're still major trading partners."

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Niagara Region is making sure we're prepared for this growth through four projects that will help us plan where and how that growth will occur, and how it will be accommodated. This Public Information Centre will focus on one of the four projects.



#### HOW WE GO:

The Transportation Master Plan will look at how we currently travel in and around Niagara and how we can improve our transportation systems, including options for walking, cycling and public transit, to better serve Niagara's future needs.

#### Get involved:

The Transportation Master Plan is nearing completion. Since the last PICs held in November/December of 2016, the Project Team has developed preliminary recommendations for Niagara Region's transportation system. Find out how the transportation system is being improved and what benefits there are to the networks (walking, cycling, transit, road), to economic efficiency and to the overall transportation experience.

Residents are invited to attend a Public Information Centre in their community to learn more about these recommendations and to have your voice heard.

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60 East Main St.  
5:30 - 8 p.m.  
Presentation at 6:30 p.m.

##### Feb. 22, 2017

St. Catharines  
Kiwanis Aquatics Centre  
Irene Locke Program Room  
425 Carlton St.  
5:30 - 8 p.m.  
Presentation at 6:30 p.m.

##### March 1, 2017

Grimsby  
Town Hall Council Chambers  
160 Livingston Ave.  
5:30 - 8 p.m.  
Presentation at 6:30 p.m.

##### March 2, 2017

Niagara Falls  
Gale Centre Memorial Room  
5152 Thorold Stone Rd.  
5:30 - 8 p.m.  
Presentation at 6:30 p.m.

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Border officials, as well as politicians in the U.S. and Canada, are concerned about President Donald Trump's push to have biometric screening implemented at the border, which they fear would grind traffic to a halt at crossings such as the Peace Bridge between Fort Erie and Buffalo.

## Uncertainty from U.S. not good for business

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He said there's "so much uncertainty" currently in the U.S. and "business thrives upon certainty." "People make decisions based

on some level of certainty and that's what's so destabilizing right now." Niagara Falls Mayor Jim Diodati said anything that slows down commerce and adds red tape to the border is "a bad idea."

He said while it's important to never risk safety, "we don't have a safety issue that we're not already dealing with appropriately."

"And Trump, of all people as a business person, would understand

you don't want red tape and you don't want to slow down transactions and that's all that this will do. It won't make it safer, it'll make it slower and it's going to hurt the bottom line. I would think Trump, being a bot-

tom line kind of guy, will realize that maybe this was a short-sighted decision and have second thoughts."

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# Rocket launcher among items seized at border crossings

ALISON LANGLEY  
Postmedia Network

A rocket launcher and two grenades seized at the Peace Bridge last summer were just a few of the thousands of items confiscated by border officials in 2016.

The Canada Border Services Agency this week released its 2016 year in review, which

said more than 10.5 million cars, 52,000 buses and 3.3 million commercial trucks were processed by border officers in the Southern Ontario Region.

The Southern Ontario Region covers the cities of Niagara Falls, Fort Erie, Windsor, Sarnia, and London, and surrounding communities.

All told, the CBSA processed more than 25 million

travellers entering southern Ontario in 2016. Officers conducted more than 173,000 examinations which resulted in:

- 1,383 drug seizures, including 89 kg of cocaine;
- 218 firearms and 868 prohibited weapons seized;
- 4,056 litres of alcohol and 201
- 201 tobacco seizures;
- 13 child porn seizures;

and

- 10 proceeds of crime seizures valued at \$373,600.

The disposable rocket launcher and two grenades were seized July 3 after agents discovered the items inside the vehicle of two Louisiana residents. The men did not have any documentation stating the launcher was deactivated and the grenades inert. Niagara Regional Police

were called in to assist and an investigation determined the items were unusable.

The items were seized and the men were allowed to proceed into Canada.

Other unusual seizures made last year included a woolly mammoth tusk discovered in a vehicle at a Windsor border crossing.

"The men and women of the

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The Fort Erie Fire Department responded to a vehicle fire on Sunday afternoon on Maccabee Avenue. The car was destroyed and some of the siding on the nearby house melted due to the heat, said acting fire chief Keith German. There were no injuries in the incident. Kris Dube/Special to the Times

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			8	3				
	6					8		2
7							6	4
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4	8						1	
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2	5	9	6	2	1	7	8	9
3	2	7	8	1	9	6	2	5
9	1	7	2	5	6	8	9	7
6	8	5	7	7	8	9	2	1
7	9	8	1	6	2	8	5	7
2	6	8	7	7	4	1	9	8
5	2	1	9	3	8	2	7	6

ANSWER:

# Supper Market coming to Crystal Beach this summer

**KIRIS DURE**  
Special to the Times

There will be a new and exciting weekly dining option in Crystal Beach this summer.

Every Thursday, at the waterfront park, local residents, people from elsewhere in Niagara, along with the thousands of U.S. visitors the area welcomes each year, will be able to enjoy a Supper Market, a gathering of what is expected to be 10 food trucks.

Preference will be given to local applicants looking to fill one of the spaces available.

"Our first priority will be with local businesses and vendors," said Casey Marzec, a member of the Crystal Beach Business Improvement Association, the group organizing the 10-week culinary gathering at the pristine public park and boat launch along the Lake Erie shore-

line. Marzec also said the natural beauty of the venue should be a draw for people from outside Greater Fort Erie, perhaps people from elsewhere in Niagara who have never visited this part of the region, or not in the last few years.

"Hopefully it's a way to attract new people to Crystal Beach," he said.

The popularity of a similar event in Niagara-on-the-Lake is something that should help, according to Marzec.

"We're hoping to ride that wave," he said.

An informational meeting for vendors who may be interested in participating is scheduled for Feb. 16 at 7 p.m. at the fire hall in Crystal Beach.

The first market is scheduled for June 29. For more information contact Marzec at caseymarzec@gmail.com or 905-351-7228.



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# Win moves midget Meteors on to provincial quarter-finals

## KRIS DUBE

Special to the Advance

The Fort Erie Major Midget hockey team is one step closer to becoming provincial champs. The squad won the Niagara District playdown tournament at the Leisurplex last weekend, winning four of the five games they played.

Next they face Ajax for the quarter-finals of the Ontario Minor Hockey Association finals, beginning this weekend.

The Fort Erie team beat their division rivals from Welland in the final game of the district tournament,

the second time they faced one another for the opportunity to move on. In the first match-up, Welland won 8-0.

Fort Erie head coach Rich Graham said this didn't affect his team and they responded beautifully in the final game of the showdown, beating Welland by a score of 3-1.

"Every single player contributed and played the best game of their life - that's what it takes to beat this team," said Graham.

The same Welland team has won a provincial title last three years.

Graham, a former coach with

the Fort Erie Meteors Jr. B team, says he is incredibly proud of his team, especially in what he expects is his last year of coaching.

The provincial quarter-finals is a best-of-five series. The Fort Erie team will face off against Ajax.

The first game of the series is Friday night at 7 p.m. at the Leisurplex.

Also scheduled in Fort Erie are game three Sunday at 6 p.m. and game five next Thursday at 6:30 p.m.

Graham and his team are hoping for a large hometown crowd.



SUBMITTED PHOTO

The Fort Erie Major Midget Meteors celebrate after winning the Ontario Minor Hockey Association's Niagara District tournament last weekend. The provincial quarter finals kick off Friday night at 7 p.m. at the Leisurplex when Fort Erie faces a team from Ajax.

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# Meteors win one, lose one in back-to-back weekend games

KRIS DUKE

Special to the Times

The Fort Erie Meteors earned two of four possible points in last weekend's back-to-back games.

On Friday night, the Jr. B team was defeated 5-2 on the road against the St. Catharines Falcons, the conference's second-place team, which has 31 more points than Fort Erie this season.

Scoring for the Meteors in the loss were Alex McAtter (assisted by Alexander Walters and Chase White) and Bryan Zurovski (assisted by Danny Katic and Chase White).

The game was tied 2-2 early in the second period but St. Catharines scored three even-strength goals in the last ten minutes to solidify the win.

On Saturday, the Meteors found

themselves down 2-0 in the first period but ended up rallying back to defeat the visiting Pelham Panthers by a score of 6-4.

Scoring in the first for Fort Erie was Dakota Mikolcz (assisted by Danny Katic and Pierre-Luc Forget).

He scored again in the second (assisted by Bryce Martin and Alexander Walters), along with Cody Petawabano (assisted by Danny Katic and Dakota Mikolcz) and Call Cirillo (assisted by Mike Masotti and Brady Lee).

Pierre-Luc Forget scored in the third (assisted by Bryan Zurovski and Alexander Walters) before Cody Petawabano found the back of an empty net, capping the 6-4 win.

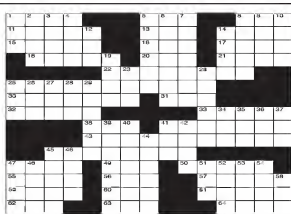
Asked about Saturday's game, captain Bryce Martin said he was happy with the offensive effort but things were a little "sloppy"

in their own end, which he says "tends to happen when you play 'back-to-back nights.'"

"Our coach has been really pushing us to get in playoff mode the last couple months and we've worked hard as a team to get where we need to be before playoffs start and we know anything can happen and we believe we can take on any team," he wrote in an email.

"We had a slow start to the year which is expected with having a very young team but getting some veteran guys back into the season and growing together as a team has really helped us make some great strides throughout the season," he continued.

The Meteors face the Ancaster Avalanche on Thursday night and on Saturday night, host the Buffalo Regals, a team with one win and 42 losses this season.



## CLUES ACROSS

1. Pain
5. Near the stern of a ship
8. Certified public accountant
11. External appearance
13. Neither
14. He played with Peter & Mary
15. Maximum
16. Irish republican organization
17. Swedish rock group
18. Source of chocolate
20. Counterparts to women
21. Type of levy
22. More tasteless
25. "Use Somebody" rockers
30. Burst
31. Flightless, fast bird
32. Type of salami
33. Chalgas to live somewhere
38. Ji dynasty's ancestral home
41. They play music
43. One who cancels
45. Resin from an African tree
47. Shellfish
49. Notre Dame coach Parseghian
50. Thoroughbred horse race: — Stakes
55. Empire in pre-colonial C. Africa
56. Small piece of caramel
57. Hillside
59. Does great
60. Israeli city — Aviv
61. Brief appearance
62. Danish krone (abbr.)
63. Midway between east and southeast
64. Database mgmt. system

## CLUES DOWN

1. Sign language
2. In style
3. Syrian city
4. A long narrative poem
5. Living thing
6. Envision
7. Flat surface on a vessel's stern
8. Scottish sport
9. They serve beer
10. Expression of sorrow or pity
12. When you expect to get there
14. Bullfighting maneuver
15. Double-reed instrument
16. Rural Free Delivery (abbr.)
24. Hardened
25. Small cask or barrel
26. Anger
27. Female religious figure
28. Central mail bureau
29. Ruled Russia
34. Geological time
35. Catfish fish
36. As well
37. Soviet Socialist Republic
38. A moderately slow tempo
40. Female reproductive organs
41. Patti Hearst's captors
42. Twitchings
44. Suitable for crops
45. Cavalry-sword
46. Greek sophist
47. Dressed
48. Tight crowd of people
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52. "Raymond" actor Garrett
53. Unstressed-stressed
54. Old World tree
58. Distress signal



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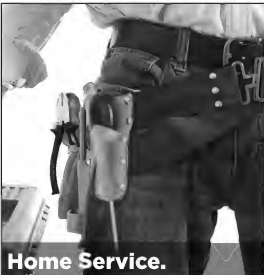
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- Professional business demeanor, outgoing and proactive;
- Excellent computer skills including full working knowledge of Microsoft Office Software applications, with superior word/office organizational skills, public relations skills and a demonstrated ability to multi-task under deadlines;
- Strong working knowledge of local marketplace (Fort Erie, Niagara and Western New York), and,
- Superior clerical skills together with accurate note/take-taking ability/word processing etc.

This temporary opportunity is offered as a renewable, monthly contract for a period of up to one year, commencing April 10, 2017. This position is based on working 4 days per week (Monday through Thursday). However, some weeks will require the successful candidate to work 5 days per week. Hourly wage will be commensurate with experience. There may be opportunity to extend the contract beyond one year at the sole discretion of the General Manager.

Qualified candidates are invited to submit a covering letter and resume quoting COMPETITION #010-2017 in confidence to:

James A. Thibert, General Manager  
Fort Erie Economic Development & Tourism Corporation  
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Fort Erie, ON  
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E-mail: jthibert@forteriecanada.com

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**Open Door Community Pasta Dinner**  
**February 16<sup>th</sup> & continuing every 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of**  
**the month. St. Joseph's Church Hall,**  
**3718 Netherby Road, Stevensville. Free pick up and**  
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**5 pm @ St. Michael's Church.**

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### Happy 60th Birthday Papa!



Love, Eliza, Grace and Eddie!



In Memoriams

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**Thomas Kohinski (1911 - 1997)**  
 In memory of a dear husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather who died called home 20 years ago, February 8, 1997. You are ever near, all dearly missed. With love, Clara, Margaret, Douglas, Ronald and their families.

**SCOTT, Wally -**  
 July 14, 1944 - February 8, 2016  
 One year has passed and we miss you still.

Wife Blanche and kitty Tiffany



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**February 11th**  
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### RIEGLE

In loving memory of our dear son, Christopher.

The heartaches in this world are many,  
 But to lose our son was the greatest of all.  
 What we all would give to hear him say,  
 "Hi Mom, Hi Dad" in the same old way.  
 To hear his voice and see him smile,  
 To sit and chat with him awhile.  
 Each time we look at your picture, Christopher,  
 You seem to smile and say,  
 "Don't cry, I'm only sleeping,  
 We'll all be together again someday."

Lovingly remembered always by Mom & Dad.

Obituaries

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Nothing is  
 really lost  
 as long as you  
 remember it.



### TIPLER, Orma -

Passed away peacefully on Thursday, February 2, at the age of 90 years. Predeceased by her husband, Thomas Frederick "Tommy" Tippler. Cherished mother of Sandra Leavay, Pat (Walt) Henning and Philip (Elizabeth Moulden). Dear Nana of Brandi, Brenda, Janine, Danielle, Jason, Julie and Emma. Great Grandma of Brittany, Tiffany, Savannah, Sebastian, Eliana, Owen, Hunter, and Caroline. She was a nursery school teacher at the YMCA from 1964 - 1968. She then returned to teaching fulltime at Elsie English School as a Special Ed. teacher until she retired in 1984. She and Tommy then travelled extensively in their motorhome throughout North America. WILLIAMS FUNERAL SERVICES, 722 Ridge Rd. N. Ridgeway entrusted with arrangements. The family will receive friends on Saturday, February 11th at 11:00am until service time at 1:00pm in the chapel. Interment will take place at a later date at McAffee Cemetery. If so desired, the family would appreciate memorial contributions to the Alzheimer's Society or the Heart and Stroke Foundation.

### CEBRYNSKI, Lisa Johanna (nee Posser) -

passed away peacefully at her home, surrounded by her loving family, on Thursday, February 2nd, 2017 in her 55th year. Beloved wife of William "Wil" Cebrynski. Loving mother of Bill (Mandy) and Chris (Rose). Cherished grandmother to Kyla, Gage and Autumn Mackey. Dear daughter of Lorna Posser and the late John Posser and daughter-in-law of Elaine Cebrynski. Loving sister of Gary Posser (Debbie) and Heidi Posser (Kevin) and sister-in-law of Stacey Ross (John). Scott Cebrynski (Carolyn). She will be lovingly remembered by her nieces and nephews, John, Jen, Karah, Ben, Trevor and Jackson, and her great-nieces, great-nephews and Teddy. Lisa was co-owner of Peninsula Custom Brokers Ltd. with her siblings and enjoyed spending time on the Beach. Special thanks to Dr. Che and all her nurses and support staff for all the excellent care that was given to her. **BENNER FUNERAL SERVICES**, 1105 Benner Ave. Fort Erie entrusted with arrangements. The family received friends on Wednesday from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. A funeral service will take place in the Funeral Home Chapel on Thursday, February 9th at 11 a.m. For those who wish donations may be made to the Cancer Society.

### STOLL, Elisabeth Anna -

April 19th, 1920 - January 31st, 2017. In her 97th year, Elisabeth passed peacefully on January 31, 2017 at Bella Senior Care Residence, Chippawa, predeceased by her husband Otto in 2014. Loving mother of Sieghart (Andrea) and Michael (Joan). Proud Oma of Dennis, Matthias, Jennifer (Trevor) and Kevin and proud Great Oma of Edwin. Also survived by nieces and nephews in Germany and cousins in the USA. Elisabeth worked as a secretary in Germany and immigrated to Canada in 1950 with her husband and son where she took on the role of homemaker. Special thanks to staff at Queenston Place and Bella Senior Care Residence for their loving care over the years. Friends are welcome to join the family at the **WILLIAMS FUNERAL HOME**, 722 Ridge Rd. N., Ridgeway, on Friday, February 10, 2017 from 1-2 p.m. A memorial service will follow in the Williams Chapel at 2 p.m., followed by refreshments. In lieu of flowers, donations to the MS Society, <https://mssociety.ca>, Alzheimer's Canada <http://www.alzheimer.ca/en> or charity of choice would be appreciated.



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## Obituaries

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**BRYANT, Roy Frederick** passed away on Friday February 3, 2017 at the age of 80 at the St. Catharines Hospital. Beloved husband of Gillian, loving father of Audrey (Tom) and Caroline. Proud Grandpa of Jillian (Trevor), Derek, Cameron, Jacob (Amanda), Duncan, Raelene and Great Grandpa to Noelle. Predeceased by his parents Barbara and Reginald and his loving daughter Dinah. Roy was a well known and respected figure around the baseball diamond in many capacities. From coaching and managing his daughters teams to coaching and managing Challenger Baseball along with Stedje Hockey. He will be missed by many and never forgotten. Cremation has taken place as per his request. In his memory donations to the Heart & Stroke Foundation or the MS Society would be greatly appreciated.

**MITCHELL, James David** - Passed away on Monday January 30, 2017 at the age of 86. Jim was born in England and worked for CN Rail for 25 years. He is survived by his wife Patricia, daughter Jeanette Beroud and son Leo Mitchell (Diana). Also survived by his sister Amy King, grandchildren Alanah & Danielle Beroud and Bryce Mitchell, and great grandchild Reilly Sider. In keeping with Jim's wishes, there will be no funeral services. Pat Mitchell and the Mitchell family would like to extend a special "Thank You" to the medical and police force of Fort Erie, and to all the kind people of Ridgeway who kept bringing my husband home when he was lost. Thank the Lord for living in a small town. Arrangements entrusted to **NIAGARA FUNERAL ALTERNATIVES**, 905-894-0120.



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February 2, 1996

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